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SUBJECT: SRI LANKA TRADE STATISTICS

ALL FIGURES IN MILLIONS U.S. DOLLARS

1. EXPORTS, CY 1972, BY FIVE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS, INCLUDING
U.S., WITH OVERALL TOTAL.

1ST: U.K.	42.66
2ND: P.R. CHINA	25.02
3RD: PAKISTAN	24.23
4TH: U.S.A.	21.78
5TH: U.S.S.R.	5.46
U.S.A.: N/A	N/A
TOTAL: ALL COUNTRIES	327.82

2. IMPORTS, CY 1972, BY FIVE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS, INCLUDING
U.S., WITH OVERALL TOTAL.

1ST: U.K.	33.30
2ND: U.S.A.	24.27
3RD: INDIA	22.38
4TH: P.R. CHINA	15.75
5TH: PAKISTAN	13.02

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U.S.A.: N/A N/A

TOTAL: ALL COUNTRIES 319.52

3. FIVE PRINCIPAL EXPORTS, CY 1969 THROUGH 1972:

	NAME	SITC	\$ MILLION
1969	TEA	07	178.49
	RUBBER	23	72.44
	COCONUT PRODUCTS	22 & 41	37.82
	COIR FIBRE	26	8.40
	CINNAMON QUILLS	07	5.68
1970	TEA	07	188.23
	RUBBER	23	73.94
	COCONUT PRODUCTS	22 & 41	40.34
	COIR FIBRE	26	7.92
	CINNAMON QUILLS	07	4.77
1971	TEA	07	192.44
	RUBBER	23	51.60
	COCONUT PRODUCTS	22 & 41	47.06
	COIR FIBRE	26	9.14
	CINNAMON QUILLS	07	4.22
1972	TEA	07	180.31
	COCONUT PRODUCTS	22 & 41	41.56
	RUBBER	23	41.41
	COIR FIBRE	26	8.91
	CINNAMON QUILLS	07	4.20

4. FIVE PRINCIPAL IMPORTS, CY/1969 THROUGH 1972:

	NAME	SITC	\$ MILLION
1969	MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	71	61.85
	RICE	04	43.19
	FLOUR	04	42.86
	TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	71	35.80
	PETROLEUM PRODUCTS	31	26.22
1970	RICE	04	53.28
	MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	71	46.39
	FLOUR	04	43.19
	SUGAR (REFINED)	06	28.57

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	TEXTILES	26 & 65	20.84
1971	SUGAR	06	40.84
	FLOUR	04	34.65
	MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	71	33.61
	RICE	04	33.77
	BUILDING MATERIALS	66, 68 & 69	19.83

1972 SUGAR	06	38.74
FLOUR	04	30.16
MACHINERY &		
EQUIPMENT	71	28.28
RICE	04	25.16
BUILDING		
MATERIALS	66, 68 & 69	18.91

5 SOURCES FOR ABOVE INFORMATION:

PARAS 1 AND 2 -- CENTRAL BANK OF CEYLON ANNUAL REPORT 1972
(EXCHANGE RATE: RS. 6.40 TO US\$1)

PARAS 3 AND 4 -- IBID (EXCHANGE RATES: 1969 TO 1971: RS. 5.95 TO
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6. PARA 5 REFTTEL: EMBASSY ATTEMPTING OBTAIN SIMILAR FIGURES
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